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POLREP #39
AINSWORTH SITE
3200 E. BIDDLE STREET
BALTIMORE, MARYLAND 21213

ATTN: GREGG CRYSTALL AND JOHN RILEY

I. SITUATION: (AS OF 1500 HOURS SATURDAY, APRIL 29, 1995)

- A. OSC GUARNI ON-SITE TO COORDINATE REMOVAL RESPONSE OPERATIONS.
- B. PERSONNEL ON-SCENE: EPA - 1
TAT - 3
ERCS -12
- C. ERCS CONTINUE TO PROVIDE SITE SECURITY DURING ALL NON-WORKING HOURS (WORK SHIFT: 0600-1830).
- D. ESTIMATED COSTS: COSTS TO DATE

	<u>04/29/95</u>	<u>CEILING</u>
EPA DIRECT	\$ 25,292	\$ 63,500
EPA INDIRECT	\$ 40,256	\$ 76,000
ERCS	\$ 472,466	\$1,350,000
TAT	\$ 73,455	\$ 101,000
USCG	\$ 33,190	\$ 34,500
UNALLOCATED		\$ 330,000

TOTAL	\$ 644,659	\$1,955,000

II. ACTIONS TAKEN

- A. ERCS COMPLETED DRUM OVERPACKING OPERATIONS IN THE BASEMENT. OVERPACKED DRUMS HAVE BEEN STAGED IN THE BULKING/STAGING ROOM FOR FUTURE DISPOSAL.
- B. ERCS PUMPED WATER FROM TANK FARM CONTAINMENT AREA INTO T-137 FOR STORAGE AND FUTURE DISPOSAL.
- C. ERCS CUT OFF THE BASE OF T-017 IN ORDER TO LOWER DRUMS FOR OVERPACKING FROM THE SECOND FLOOR TO THE FIRST FLOOR; SECOND FLOOR DRUMS WERE LOWERED TO THE FIRST FLOOR USING A CHAIN HOIST.
- D. BETHLEHEM APPARATUS CO. (HELLERTOWN, PA) ONSITE TO PICK UP MERCURY CONTAINERS; MATERIAL WAS SHIPPED FOR RECYCLING.
- E. ERCS BEGAN CONSOLIDATING MATERIALS FROM TANKS IN THE TANK FARM AREA INTO T-136; CONTENTS OF T-138 WERE PUMPED THIS DATE, LEAVING T-140 AND T-141. IN

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ADDITION, PROCESS LINES ASSOCIATED WITH THESE TANKS ARE ALSO BEING PUMPED AND CONSOLIDATED. THESE MATERIALS ARE SCHEDULED FOR DISPOSAL BY FUELS BLENDING.

- F. TAT CONDUCTED CONTINUOUS AIR MONITORING DURING OVERPACKING/STAGING OPERATIONS.
- G. ERCS CHEMIST CONTINUED UPDATING DRUM LOG AND WASTE STREAMING THE TANK/VAT SAMPLES FOR FUTURE DISPOSAL.
- H. ENFORCEMENT OSC GLEN LAPSLEY SPOKE WITH MR. PETER AINSWORTH SMITH (OWNER) REGARDING ARRANGEMENTS FOR MANUFACTURERS TO RECLAIM MATERIALS FROM THE SITE; MR. SMITH INDICATED THAT HE AGREED WITH EPA THAT THIS ACTION IS ADVANTAGEOUS TO THE COMPLETION OF THE CLEANUP OF THE SITE AND THAT HE HAD NO OBJECTIONS.

III. FUTURE ACTIONS

- A. TAT TO CONTINUE CONTINUOUS AIR MONITORING DURING HOT ZONE OPERATIONS. DAILY WORK ZONE AREA MONITORING FOR MERCURY VAPOR TO CONTINUE.
- B. ERCS TO CONTINUE TO RESEARCH DRUM LOGS IN PREPARATION FOR DRUM CONSOLIDATION OPERATIONS. IN ADDITION, TANKS, VATS, AND PROCESS LINES TO BE ADDRESSED.
- C. ERCS TO PUMP LIQUIDS FROM TANK FARM ABOVE-GROUND STORAGE TANKS INTO T-136; BULKED LIQUIDS TO BE TRANSPORTED OFF-SITE FOR FUELS BLENDING.
- D. RM TO CONTINUE COORDINATING TRANSPORTATION AND DISPOSAL ARRANGEMENTS.
- E. OSC TO CONTINUE TO COORDINATE ACTIVITIES WITH LOCAL, STATE, AND FEDERAL AGENCIES.

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